

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
Year-End Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
January - December 2001**

Juvenile Court **FRANKLIN**  
Court Number **26**

January - December 2001                      605 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      440 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

1	OR	0.14% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
7	OR	1.00% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
39	OR	5.59% Assault
4	OR	0.57% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
4	OR	0.57% Arson
2	OR	0.29% Aggravated Burglary
49	OR	7.02% Theft of Property
17	OR	2.44% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
11	OR	1.58% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00% Sale of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Other Drug Offenses
25	OR	3.58% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00% Carrying Weapons on School Property
5	OR	0.72% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
4	OR	0.57% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
4	OR	0.57% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
34	OR	4.87% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
1	OR	0.14% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
1	OR	0.14% Filing a False Police Report
1	OR	0.14% Criminal Impersonation
20	OR	2.87% Disorderly Conduct
11	OR	1.58% Criminal Trespass
5	OR	0.72% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
208	OR	29.80% Traffic
8	OR	1.15% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
63	OR	9.03% Violation of Probation
1	OR	0.14% Violation of Aftercare
25	OR	3.58% Unruly Behavior
55	OR	7.88% Truancy
0	OR	0.00% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00% Violation of a Valid Court Order
5	OR	0.72% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
26	OR	3.72% Dependency/Neglect
2	OR	0.29% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
17	OR	2.44% Judicial Review
2	OR	0.29% Administrative Review
2	OR	0.29% Foster Care Review
12	OR	1.72% Custody
2	OR	0.29% Visitation
3	OR	0.43% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
22	OR	3.15% Other

698	OR	100.00% Total
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Of the 605 Cases, There Were

698 Referral Sources

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Referral Source

438	OR	62.8% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
24	OR	3.4% Were Referred By Parents
8	OR	1.1% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
67	OR	9.6% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
23	OR	3.3% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
31	OR	4.4% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
45	OR	6.4% Were Referred By Victim
10	OR	1.4% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
52	OR	7.4% Other
698	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 605 Cases, There Were 698 Intake Actions  
**Intake Actions**

417	OR	59.7% Petition Filed
3	OR	0.4% Motion Filed
251	OR	36.0% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
23	OR	3.3% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
4	OR	0.6% Other
698	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 605 Cases:

#### Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
3	OR	0.5% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
1	OR	0.2% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
601	OR	99.3% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
605	OR	100.0% Total

#### Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

2	OR	0.3% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
3	OR	0.5% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
600	OR	99.2% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
605	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

440 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

24	OR	5.5% Birth Through Age 10
20	OR	4.5% Ages 11 Through 12
54	OR	12.3% Ages 13 Through 14
190	OR	43.2% Ages 15 Through 16
150	OR	34.1% Age 17 Through 18
1	OR	0.2% Age 19 And Over
1	OR	0.2% Unknown/Not Reported
440	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

276	OR	62.7% Male
164	OR	37.3% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
440	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

393	OR	89.3% White
39	OR	8.9% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
1	OR	0.2% Asian
7	OR	1.6% Mixed Race
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
440	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 440 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

6	OR	1.4% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

162	OR	36.8% Living With Both Biological Parents
11	OR	2.5% Living With Father And Stepmother
29	OR	6.6% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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105	OR	23.9% Living With Mother
29	OR	6.6% Living With Father
29	OR	6.6% Living With Relatives
1	OR	0.2% Living With Adoptive Parents
16	OR	3.6% Living With Foster Family
9	OR	2.0% Living In A Group Home
1	OR	0.2% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
4	OR	0.9% Living Independently
35	OR	8.0% Unknown
9	OR	2.0% Other
440	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

372	OR	84.5% Were Enrolled In School
37	OR	8.4% Were Not Enrolled In School
31	OR	7.0% Unknown
440	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

9	OR	2.0% Too Young For School
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
0	OR	0.0% Finished Kindergarten
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 1
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 2
2	OR	0.5% Finished Grade 3
1	OR	0.2% Finished Grade 4
1	OR	0.2% Finished Grade 5
14	OR	3.2% Finished Grade 6
22	OR	5.0% Finished Grade 7
37	OR	8.4% Finished Grade 8
77	OR	17.5% Finished Grade 9
81	OR	18.4% Finished Grade 10
71	OR	16.1% Finished Grade 11
17	OR	3.9% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
4	OR	0.9% GED
1	OR	0.2% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
103	OR	23.4% Unknown
440	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

59	OR	13.4% Were Enrolled In Special Education
275	OR	62.5% Not Enrolled In Special Education
106	OR	24.1% Unknown
440	OR	100.0% Total

The Following Are The 867 Specific **Case Outcomes**

Each Case May Have Resulted In More Than One Outcome;

Therefore The Number Of Total Outcomes May Be Greater Than The Total Number Of Cases

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92	OR	10.61% Case Dismissed
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6	OR	0.69% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
2	OR	0.23% Warned/Counseled
14	OR	1.61% Held Open For Review
240	OR	27.68% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
1	OR	0.12% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
3	OR	0.35% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
2	OR	0.23% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
2	OR	0.23% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	OR	0.00% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
2	OR	0.23% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
1	OR	0.12% Fine
356	OR	41.06% Public Service
7	OR	0.81% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
5	OR	0.58% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
5	OR	0.58% House Arrest
10	OR	1.15% Court Defined Curfew
1	OR	0.12% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
1	OR	0.12% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
1	OR	0.12% DCS Commitment - Determinate
40	OR	4.61% DCS Commitment/Custody
1	OR	0.12% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
10	OR	1.15% Other Intensive Probation
1	OR	0.12% DCS Probation
2	OR	0.23% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
1	OR	0.12% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated

0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
2	OR	0.23% Court Costs
2	OR	0.23% Foster Care Terminated
2	OR	0.23% Foster Care Continued
26	OR	3.00% Custody Changed
7	OR	0.81% Custody Unchanged

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5	OR	0.58% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
1	OR	0.12% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
2	OR	0.23% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
14	OR	1.61% Other
867	OR	100.00% Total

#### Disposed By

Of the 698 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

697	OR	99.9% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
1	OR	0.1% Other
698	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 605 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The

698 Referral Reasons Was:

114	OR	16.3% Dismissed
0	OR	0.0% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
352	OR	50.4% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
123	OR	17.6% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
20	OR	2.9% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
17	OR	2.4% Informal Adjustment
2	OR	0.3% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
30	OR	4.3% Special Proceeding
12	OR	1.7% Review Concluded
27	OR	3.9% Case Held Open
1	OR	0.1% Other
698	OR	100.0% Total